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Kootenai County Board of Commissioners
451 Government Way
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Dear Commissioners,

I would like to extend my thanks for the hospitality that was shown in our meeting earlier this week. It was a very informative meeting and I feel very positive that we have opened a two-way door of communication. I only hope in the future that this door of communication will remain open between our offices.

During the course of the meeting, we raised several issues that will be of mutual benefit to ~~our~~ governments. One major endeavor that we can cooperate on is to further the economic vitality of the region by engaging in economic development activities in Kootenai county. The Coeur d'Alene Tribe (Tribe) looks forward to a constructive dialogue with you on innovative partnerships to provide economic prosperity to the region. The Tribe also would be amenable to meeting with you on a more regular basis in order to conduct business on a government-to-government basis.

As the Chairman of the Coeur d'Alene Tribe, I hope our working relationship will build a strong foundation that will benefit all people of Northern Idaho. If at anytime you need to reach me, please contact the legislative director, Quanah Spencer, at (208) 686-0803 or email: qspencer@cdatribe-nsn.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Chief J. Allan", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Chief J. Allan, Chairman
Coeur d'Alene Tribe

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